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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☒ Utility Patent Application Transmittal  
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2. ☐ Applicant(s) claim(s) small entity status, 37  
CFR 1.27
3. ☒ Specification, Claims and Abstract  
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5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages: 1]
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  - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR  
1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with  
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CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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accompanying application and is hereby  
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7. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
- a. ☐ Computer readable copy
- b. ☐ Paper copy (identical to computer copy)
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### Accompanying Application Parts

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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12. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS/PTO-1449)
- ☒ Copies of Citations
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16. ☐ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)(2)(B)(i)
17. ☒ Other: Claim for Priority Under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and 120

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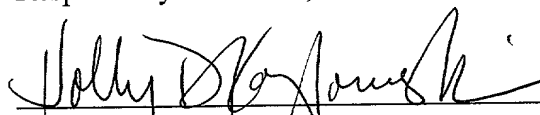
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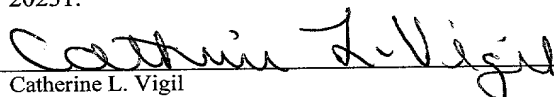
  
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